

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 550  
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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Bradley Mark Colquitt,  
2003 Valedictorian of Maryville High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Bradley Mark Colquitt is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2003 graduating class of Maryville High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Colquitt has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and in our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Bradley Colquitt has earned an exemplary 4.6 grade point average, has been honored with Academic Letters in Math, English, Social Studies, and Science, and has been named a National Merit Finalist; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Colquitt is a gifted musician; he has served as Drum Major of the Marching Band and as a Member of the Concert Band and is a competitive concert pianist who most recently won the Maryville-Alcoa Showcase of Area Talent; and

WHEREAS, an extremely talented and well-rounded young man, Bradley Colquitt is a Member of the National Honor Society, the Treasurer of Mu Alpha Theta, a Volunteer at Blount Memorial Hospital, and a Member of New Providence Presbyterian Church; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Colquitt's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success, particularly as he joins the entering class of Rice University in the fall; and

WHEREAS, Bradley Colquitt's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark and Melony Colquitt, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Colquitt's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2003 Maryville High School Valedictorian, Bradley Mark Colquitt, on his impressive academic achievement, extending to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.